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## IAEA CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENT AUTHORITY

REFER TO:

## Special Form Radioactive Material Encapsulation

## Certificate Number USA/0178/S

This certifies that the encapsulated source, as described, when loaded with the authorized radioactive contents, has been demonstrated to meet the regulatory requirements for special form radioactive material as prescribed in IAEA and USA Regulations for the transport of radioactive materials.

- I. <u>Source Description</u> The source described by this certificate is identified as Monsanto Research Corporation Model No. 2726 BX which is a welded 304 stainless steel double encapsulation measuring 1.0 inch in diameter by 4.4 inches in length.
- II. <u>Radioactive Contents</u> The authorized radioactive contents of this source consist of not more than 14.0 Curies of Plutonium-238 or Americium-241 in the form of powdered oxide mixed with a neutron production target material.
- III. This certificate, unless renewed, expires March 31, 1983.

This certificate is issued in accordance with paragraph 803 of the IAEA Regulations and in response to the February 22, 1980, petition by Monsanto Research Corporation, Dayton, Ohio, and in consideration of the associated information therein.

Certified by:

R. R. Rawl

March 18, 1980

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Designated U.S. Competent Authority for the International Transportation of Radioactive Materials Office of Hazardous Materials Regulation, MTB U.S. Department of Transportation Washington, D.C. 20590

<sup>1&</sup>quot;Safety Series No. 6, Regulations for the Safe Transport of Radioactive Materials, 1973 Revised Edition", published by the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA), Vienna, Austria.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 170-178, USA.